

Welcome Back to Hokitika Gymnastics - Term 2, 2025!

We're excited to be kicking off another term at Hokitika Gymnastics! Term 1 was an incredibly busy and rewarding start to the year, with lots of new families joining our community. The club is growing stronger every term, and we're thrilled to see the energy and enthusiasm from gymnasts, parents, and volunteers alike.


What's New This Term?

We've expanded! Term 2 brings the addition of a second Grade 1 and Iron class! Keep reading below for further updates this term.

Coming Up: Marlow Pies Fundraiser

Term 2 sees the return of our much-loved **5th Annual Marlow Pies Fundraiser!** Each year this fundraiser grows, and we're looking forward to another successful round.

 Order forms will be sent home with your gymnast in **Week 1**

 A poster with all the info is attached to this newsletter - feel free to share it with your whānau and friends!

Where Your Fundraising Goes

All funds raised in 2025 will go toward:

- Training for our amazing coaches and parent helpers
- Replacement and maintenance of our gym equipment to ensure safety and quality

Your support helps keep our club running smoothly and helps us avoid fee increases. No matter how big or small, **every sale and every helping hand is truly appreciated.**

Let's make Term 2 another fantastic one!

2025 AGM

Our 2025 AGM will be held on:

FRIDAY 16 May 2025 at 7pm.

Location: Katsu Sushi & Taco Bar, Hokitika

- Draft Agenda:
- Approval of previous AGM Minutes
 - President's Report
 - Treasurer's Report
 - Election of Office Holders

Light refreshments will be provided - please RSVP via email so that we can cater accordingly.

AGM 2025

AGM Coming Up - We Need You!

Our **Annual General Meeting (AGM)** is just around the corner, and we're looking for new committee members to help guide the club into the 2025-26 season!

Friday 16 May 7pm at Katsu Sushi & Taco Bar

This is a great opportunity to get involved, have your say, and help shape the future of Hokitika Gymnastics. We're seeking both **elected roles** and **general committee member roles**, so there's a place for everyone—whether you're keen to lead or just want to lend a hand behind the scenes.

 **Please email us to RSVP your attendance.**

If you're unable to attend but would still like to be nominated for a role, you can also submit your nomination by email.

Let's keep the momentum going and continue building a fantastic club for our gymnasts and their families!

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FUNDRAISING UPDATES



Term 2 Fundraising

Game Bird Surveys

Fish & Game West Coast, conduct Game Bird surveys fortnightly from May - July, extra helpers needed for this, training is provided please email if you can help out - first calls start 5th May.

Earn a fee discount for Term 3 if you can help with this.

Wednesday 14 May Pie orders due in.

Forms can be handed in to classes or scanned and emailed to the club, payment can be paid via internet banking or also dropped off to classes.

Friday 30 May Pie order arrives.

Usually this arrives at 11am, hopefully ready to be collected by 2pm.

Sorting helpers would be appreciated - check the Facebook Group for updates about this and collection.

FREE Term 3 fees for the Gymnast who sells the most pies!*

**If this goes to a family with multiple children enrolled the highest term fee for one child will be free.*

Gym updates for Term 2

Thank You, Sammy

At the end of Term 1, Sammy stepped down from her coaching role with Hokitika Gymnastics Club. We'd like to extend a heartfelt **thank you** to Sammy for all her time, energy, and dedication throughout 2023, 2024 and into 2025.

Her contribution to the club and our gymnasts has been truly appreciated, and we wish her all the very best with the exciting opportunities she's now pursuing.

Ngā mihi nui, Sammy - you'll always be part of the Hokitika Gymnastics family!

Welcome Back, Pascale - and Meet Our Term 2 Coaching Team!

As we head into Term 2, we're **very excited to welcome Pascale back** to a hands-on coaching role! After a well-deserved break, we're thrilled to see Pascale back on the floor, supporting both our gymnasts and fellow coaches.

Pascale will be leading our **Bronze, Silver, and Gold gymnasts**, as well as our exciting new **Team Gym display class**. We're also welcoming **Megan** to the Bronze class, where she'll be learning alongside Pascale.

Here's a look at our awesome coaching lineup for Term 2:

- **Kim** - Coaching *Gym Fun, Grade 2 Group 2*.
- **Hannah** - Coaching *Grade 1 Group 1, Grade 2 Group 1, Iron and Saturday Play Gym classes*. Also assisting Pascale with *Team Gym Display* and *Bronze*.
- **Olivia** - Coaching *Grade 1 Group 2*.
- **Laura** - Coaching *Monday Play Gym*.
- **Lisa** - Coaching our *Boys' Class*.
- **Natalie** - Coaching our *Strength & Conditioning Class*.

We're incredibly lucky to have such a passionate and dedicated team, all committed to the growth and development of every gymnast at our club.

Here's to a fantastic Term 2 with an amazing crew!

Tumbling Update & Exciting New Class Announcement

You may have noticed that **Tumbling** is missing from our Term 2 timetable. We want to let you know that from Term 2, our **Tumbling classes will be taking a temporary break.**

This decision wasn't made lightly. It comes as part of our commitment to the wellbeing of both our gymnasts and coaching staff. With an increased coaching workload and important health and safety considerations, we feel this pause is the best step forward.

During this time, we'll be investing in **additional training and support for our coaches**, with the aim of returning with a **refreshed and improved tumbling program** that's safer, more structured, and better suited to the needs of our athletes.

We sincerely appreciate your understanding and ongoing support as we make these important improvements.

Introducing: Team Gymnastics Display Class!

While tumbling takes a break, we're thrilled to introduce a **brand new class** to our Term 2 lineup – the **Team Gymnastics Display Class**, led by none other than **Pascale!**

This exciting new program will focus on creating a **dynamic floor-based routine** featuring:

- Acrobatics
- Group gymnastics skills
- Floor-based choreography

Gymnasts will have the chance to **perform their display** at the **Hokitika Competition**, and potentially at our **Christmas Variety Show** and other community events throughout the year.

Along the way, athletes will build **teamwork, confidence, and performance skills** in a fun and supportive environment.

 **Ages 7 and up welcome!**

Be part of something new, exciting, and full of energy!

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TEAMWORK, GYMNASTICS,
AND PERFORMANCE
– BE PART OF SOMETHING NEW!

TEAM GYM DISPLAY CLASS NEW FOR TERM 2

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ADULTS MOBILITY & FUNCTIONAL MOVEMENT CLASS

THURSDAYS
9:15AM - 10:15AM

Expect a mix of stretching, functional strength, and movement using the gym space in creative ways. Come as you are – no experience needed!



<div>  <div>2025 Term Two</div>  </div>				
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1:30 PM - 2:15 PM Play Gym	3:30 PM - 4:30 PM Grade 1 Group 1	3:30 PM - 4:30 PM Grade 2 Group 2	09:15 AM - 10:15AM Adults' Mobility & Functional Movement	3:30 PM - 4:30 PM Strength & Conditioning
3:30 PM - 4:15 PM Gym Fun	4:30 PM - 5:30 PM Grade 1 Group 2	4:30 PM - 5:30 PM Boys	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM Bronze	4:30 PM - 6:30 PM Competition Prep Terms 1-3 only Self management is expected with support from coaches and parents.
4:30 PM - 6:00 PM Iron Group 1 Silver Group 1	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM Grade 2 Group 1	5:30 PM - 7 PM Iron Group 2	5:00 PM - 6:00 PM Team Gym / Display	If staying for more than 1 hour, snack is required.
			6:00 PM - 7:30 PM Silver, Gold, Ruby	SATURDAY
				9:30 AM - 10:15 AM Play Gym

UPCOMING COMPETITIONS



Marlborough Champs 2025

14 and 15 June at Stadium 2000, Blenheim

OPEN TO ALL GRADES!

No rings for boys are available - alternate routine on pommel has been provided. We are working on this

Entry fee \$50

Email the club with subject: Blenheim Comp
With your gymnast Name, date of birth and grade to enter.
Entries close 1 May 2025 - NO LATE ENTRIES!

REMEMBER: Fees must be up to date or under regular payment arrangement to attend competitions.

Blenheim Gymnastics Club

Entries close on 1 May for the 2025 Marlborough Champs competition. Please email the club to enter. We also need judges! Blenheim uses a panel system so a great opportunity to finesse your judging skills!



Best of the West 2025

24 and 25 May at 2/10 Cockburn Lane, Izone, Rolleston

OPEN TO ALL GRADES!

minimum of 5 gymnasts per grade across all entries for that grade to happen

Entry fee \$50

Email the club with subject: West Melton Comp
With your gymnast Name, date of birth and grade to enter.
Entries close 9 May 2025 - NO LATE ENTRIES!

REMEMBER: Fees must be up to date or under regular payment arrangement to attend competitions.

West Melton Gymnastics Club

Entries close soon on 9 May for the West Melton 2025 Competition. Open to all grades and any gymnast can enter! Judges will also be appreciated for this competition. Please email the club to enter ASAP.

REMINDERS

Term Fee invoices for Term 2 are now being prepared, payment arrangements are accepted, please email to let us know if you intend to spread the cost. Payment arrangements need to be paid before the end of the term. Gymnasts cannot enter competitions if there are fees outstanding, unless payment arrangement is in place.

Gym Closed

The Gym will be closed on Monday 2nd June for King's Birthday weekend.

Contact Information

If you have changed your phone number or email address, please let us know, if an accident happens, we need to be able to reach you quickly.

Changes to enrolment?

If you are wanting to switch to a different training day or time please email the club for these matters.